Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR.—Is it not a fact that in the case of science and mathematics, teachers are finding it difficult to teach in English because of a number of techinical terms in English which differ from the technical terms in Marathi?

Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI.—Sir, in the case of primary schools it may be somewhat difficult because all the teachers are not S.S.L.C. and do not know English. If it is brought to the notice of Government S.S.L.C. teacher may be appointed in their place.

Sri B. R. SUNTHANKER.—In answer to (*c*). May I know by what time these books would be scrutinised and approved and made available to the pupils?

Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI.—My information is, the manuscript has been approved by the D.P.I.

Sri. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—May I know whether there were not Head Masters and others who were able to write books on these subjects and was there the necessity for the Government to make a Committee?

Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI.—Because of this difficulty the Board of Head Masters of Belgaum recommended to Government that they will write books. The D.P.I. allowed them to prepare a manuscript and it has been prepared and has been aporoved.

Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR.—Has this inordinte delay not resulted in the neglect of teaching of Marathi in this State?

Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI.—Not at all. We are making every effort for the teaching of Marathi.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Questions are over.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

VOLUNTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS WORKING IN HYDERABAD-KARNATAK AREA.

**Q.*—766. Sri MADHAV RAO (Hulsur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of voluntary school teachers that are working in Hyderabad Karnatak Area (Districtwise) ;

(*b*) their terms of service ;

(*c*) whether these teachers will be absorbed in regular Government service, in view of introduction of Compulsory Primary Education ?

A—Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) Gulbarga District	...	204
Raichur District	...	127
Bidar District	...	49
Total	...	380

(*b*) An aid of Rs. 30 P.M. was given to such teachers.

(*c*) The teachers with the following qualifications will be absorbed in Government Service with effect from 1st August 1961 provided that they have not attained the age of 55 years on 1st August 1961.

(i) S. S. L. C. trained and S. S. L. C. Jana Examination of Hyderabad area passed before 1st November 1956.

(ii) Non-S. S. L. C. trained.

(iii) Non-S. S. L. C.'s (M. S., K. L. S., U. P., L. S., P. S. C. C. vernacular untrained and Kava Examination of Hyderabad area passed before 1st November 1956.)

(iv) Other inadequately qualified teachers who were in service as on or before 1st November 1956, subject to their passing the Upper Primary or Middle Final Year Examination within two academic years from the date of their absorption.

SURVEY OF THE BAMBOO WEALTH OF THE STATE

*Q.—771. Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SHETTY (Chickanaikanahalli).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the bamboo wealth of the State is surveyed ;

(*b*) if so, the estimated quantity ;

(*c*) the proposed industries for utilization of the same ;

(*d*) whether there is any programme for plantation of bamboo to meet the exploited areas ;

(*e*) the quantity now supplied for different paper and rayon industries at present and the rate and cost of the same ;

(*f*) the quantity proposed to be supplied for industries for which licences have been granted ?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Forests).—

(*a*) Not all the areas have been surveyed. But enumerations at 5 per cent in unorganised forests and at 10 per cent in the organised forests of North Kanara and Belgaum Districts have been carried out to find out the availability of bamboos in those areas. The availability of bamboos has been roughly estimated in the divisions of Sagar, Shimoga,